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SUBJECT: HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION - REPORT OF AD HOC GROUP OF
EXPERTS ON SOUTHERN AFRICA (ITEM 10 A)

1. MODIFIED VERSION OF DRAFT CONTAINED GENEVA 1451

ADOPTED 22-0-8 (AUSTRIA, ECUADOR, FRANCE, ITALY,
NICARAGUA, U. K., U. S., VENEZUELA). DOMINICAN REPUBLIC
AND MEXICO ABSENT.

2. REVISIONS TO TEXT CONTAINED REFTTEL AS FOLLOWS:

OPERATIVE PARA 3 (C) READS: " THE EXECUTION OF

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FREEDOM FIGHTERS WHO SHOULD BE ACCORDED THE STATUS AND TREATMENT OF PRISONERS OF WAR UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE THIRD GENEVA CONVENTION OF 12 AUGUST 1949."

OPERATIVE PARA 4 - OPENING OF PARAGRAPH READS " TAKES NOTE WITH SATISFACTION OF THE OBSERVATIONS, CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE GROUP, AND RECOMMENDS THAT"

OPERATIVE PARA 4(E) READS: " AND, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PURPOSES AND PRINCIPLES OF THE CHARTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS AS WELL AS THE RESOLUTIONS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, MORAL AND MATERIAL ASSISTANCE TO LIBERATION MOVEMENTS AND THE LIBERATED TERRITORIES AND THEIR POPULATION SHOULD BE EXTENDED IN FULL SCALE."

OPERATIVE PARA 10 ADD " REPORTED" BEFORE " AREA BOMBARDMENT".

3. AT REQUEST OF NETHERLANDS, SEPARATE VOTES HELD AS FOLLOWS:

OPERATIVE PARA 3 - 21-0-9 (AUSTRIA, ECUADOR, FRANCE, ITALY, NETHERLANDS, NICARAGUA, U. K., U. S, VENEZUELA).

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OPERATIVE PARA 10 - 21-0-9 (AUSTRIA, ECUADOR, FRANCE, ITALY, NETHERLANDS, NICARAGUA, U. K., U. S., VENEZUELA).

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